



Joe Ayala

August 5, 1959 - December 20, 2020

Joe Ayala of Willcox passed away in Tucson on December 20, 2020 at the age of 61. He was born in Abernathy, Texas on August 5, 1959 to Jose Ayala and Ninfa DeLeon Ayala. Joe retired from the City of Willcox after 23 years as the Utility Foreman, after retirement he continue to be a water treatment tester. He was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church and the Willcox Elks Lodge #2131. On November 28, 1983 in Willcox he married his wife Dolores who survives him. Also surviving are his children Tammy Fimbres of Willcox and Joseph Ayala of Phoenix and his grandchildren; Ayden and Alex Fimbres both of Willcox and Elyanna Ayala and Manuel Balderas both of Phoenix. Joe is also survived by his mother Ninfa Ayala and his siblings Rosie Ayala and Gabriel (Tonya) Ayala all of Willcox. Preceding him in death was his father, his brother Pete and his sister Ramona Pesina. A Rosary will be offered 7:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 29, 2020 at Westlawn Chapel with Mass of Christian Burial being celebrated 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, December 30, 2020 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Burial will follow in Sunset Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Cemetery

N. Sunset Strip Road
Willcox, AZ 85643

Previous Events

Rosary

DEC **29**. 7:00 PM (MT)

Westlawn Chapel & Mortuary Inc.
105 S Arizona Avenue
Willcox, AZ 85643
(520) 384-2413
westwx@vtc.net
<https://www.westlawnchapelmortuary.com>

Mass of Christian Burial

DEC **30**. 10:00 AM (MT)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church
215 W. Maley
Willcox, AZ 85643

Tribute Wall



“ *Joe Ayala*

January 30, 2023 at 12:50 AM



“ *Kelsey Ackerson lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala*



Kelsey Ackerson - January 13, 2021 at 03:25 PM



“ *Manny Silva lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala*



Manny Silva - December 29, 2020 at 01:42 PM



“ *My love and prayers to Delores and Joe's family! My heart aches for you! May Joe be Rest In Peace! May God comfort and give his family strength! May his memories bring joy to all of you!*

LaDonna Burgess - December 29, 2020 at 12:28 PM

SV

“ *Sandy Vindiola lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala*



Sandy Vindiola - December 29, 2020 at 12:01 AM



“ *Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of Joe Ayala.*



December 27, 2020 at 05:33 PM

AY

“ *I remember Joe as a classmate. He was a good friend to my Dad also. I would see Joe cleaning his relatives graves quite often at Times Sunset Cemetery. We would always greet each other. Rest in peace my friend and my condolences to the family.*



Alicia Yanez - December 26, 2020 at 03:30 PM

LF

“ *Rest in peace "Big Joe", you will be missed.*

Lance & Kelly Fowler - December 26, 2020 at 12:11 PM

MR

“ My condolences to you Dolores and family. Joe was a great friend to my brother Ernest. May God be with you during your time of loss. Your time of pain well eventually go away but your memories of your husband will always stay in your heart.

Maria Reyes - December 24, 2020 at 03:12 PM



“ Blue & White Sympathy Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Joe Ayala.



December 23, 2020 at 10:54 PM

NA

“ Naomi Armijo lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala



Naomi Armijo - December 23, 2020 at 10:01 PM



“ Simply Lily was purchased for the family of Joe Ayala.



December 23, 2020 at 08:51 PM



“ *Red & White Satin Cross Casket Pillow was purchased for the family of Joe Ayala.*



December 23, 2020 at 07:18 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White was purchased for the family of Joe Ayala.*



December 23, 2020 at 05:18 PM



“ *Our deepest condolences to the Ayala family. Joe will certainly be missed. Rey and Jonnie Martinez*

jonnied martinez - December 23, 2020 at 12:13 AM



“ *Our condolences to the family of Joe Ayala . He was a great friend. We will miss him. Domingo and Judy Figueroa and family.*



Judy Figueroa - December 22, 2020 at 08:54 PM

OG

“ *Olga Granado lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala*



Olga Granado - December 22, 2020 at 08:46 PM

MA

“ *The Reyes family sends our heartfelt condolences to the family of Joe Ayala. He was a good friend of our brother, Ernest. If Ernest was still here with us he would be very saddened. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Joe's family that God may give you all strength, comfort and peace. God bless.*



Martie - December 22, 2020 at 08:33 PM

TD

“ *We are so sad and you will be missed. Condolences to Dolores and family. May you rest in peace Joe.*



Tony and Wendy Davis - December 22, 2020 at 08:15 PM

JG

“ *Rest in Peace my good friend, I'll miss seeing you on the street and will miss our mutual greeting to each other, "Hey Pito"! Love you Bro. Prayers for Delores and Family. My deepest condolences.*



Jerry Giudice - December 22, 2020 at 08:07 PM

AM

“ We are so saddened of Joe's passing. Our deepest condolences to Dolores, Tammy, Joseph & the rest of his family. Our prayers are with you all.



Alma & Felipe Mendoza - December 22, 2020 at 03:57 PM

LH

“ Rest in peace Joe. You were a good friend to many and will be greatly missed. May God grant your family and friends peace and comfort during this difficult time.

Lisa Marie Humphries - December 22, 2020 at 11:42 AM



“ Gerri Roberts lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala



Gerri Roberts - December 22, 2020 at 11:32 AM

SA

“ Susan&John Arbuthnot lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala



Susan&John Arbuthnot - December 22, 2020 at 08:53 AM

KC

“ *Kelly Colbert lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala*



kelly colbert - December 22, 2020 at 12:46 AM

DA

“ *Rest in Paradise, Joe. Prayers for your family.*



Dawn Adame - December 21, 2020 at 11:52 PM



“ *Betsy Ajeman lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala*



Betsy Ajeman - December 21, 2020 at 10:21 PM

CD

“ *Carol Dickson lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala*



Carol Dickson - December 21, 2020 at 09:24 PM

AS

“ Sending condolences from Robert Sinohui family



Angela Sinohui - December 21, 2020 at 08:54 PM

TB

“ Praying for comfort for the family. Joe was a great guy and will be missed. Love and prayers.



Tommy and Rita Bedolla - December 21, 2020 at 08:19 PM

TB

“ Tommy And Rita Bedolla lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala



Tommy and Rita Bedolla - December 21, 2020 at 08:16 PM

EV

“ Erlinda Valenzuela lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala



Erlinda Valenzuela - December 21, 2020 at 07:39 PM

AT

“ *Anselmo & Bertha Torres sent a virtual gift in memory of Joe Ayala*



Anselmo & Bertha Torres - December 21, 2020 at 07:33 PM

JF

“ *Joe & Delia Franco lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala*



Joe & Delia Franco - December 21, 2020 at 06:54 PM



“ *So saddened to know that Joe is no longer with us. Love and prayers are with the Family. May God Bless.*



Roxanna Garza-Roffey - December 21, 2020 at 06:20 PM

LR

“ *Lawrence & Angela Rodriguez sent a virtual gift in memory of Joe Ayala*



Lawrence & Angela Rodriguez - December 21, 2020 at 06:05 PM

LS

“ Joe was a wonderful person I had the pleasure of working with for several years that I greatly considered a friend. He will be missed. May God hold Joe’s family in His arms and offer them comfort in their time of need.

The Stoddard family

Linda Stoddard - December 21, 2020 at 05:53 PM

GM

“ Gus & Rita Morales sent a virtual gift in memory of Joe Ayala



Gus & Rita Morales - December 21, 2020 at 05:23 PM

JS

“ John And Kim Sanchez lit a candle in memory of Joe Ayala



John and Kim Sanchez - December 21, 2020 at 05:10 PM

SH

“ *Scott&Jeannie Harris sent a virtual gift in memory of Joe Ayala*



Scott&Jeannie Harris - December 21, 2020 at 05:02 PM

JR

“ *Juan & Shirley Rubio sent a virtual gift in memory of Joe Ayala*



Juan & Shirley Rubio - December 21, 2020 at 04:15 PM